

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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November 18, 2018 ~ 33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR:

Thanksgiving Mass, Wednesday, Nov. 21 (5:30 p.m.)

EM's: Ginny Heintzelman & Eileen Marquardt
Lector: Sandi Marlow-Weber
Ushers: Larry Heintzelman & Brian Marty
Servers: John & Jace Kleindl
Sacristans: Larry & Ginny Heintzelman
Music: Choir

Sunday, November 25 (8:30 a.m.)

Jeri Erickson & Jamie Van Eps
Paul Daly
Mark Gibson & Ron Draper
Caryn & Jade Marty, & Makarian Schott
Jodi DeCamp
Becky Draper

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Monday, November 19 – 8:30 a.m. (Chokio)

+ Kathy Ritter

Mass on Wednesday, Nov. 21 - 8:30 a.m. (Wheaton)

Thanksgiving, Wed., Nov. 21 - 5:30 p.m. (Chokio)

+ Eddie Picht

Thanksgiving Mass on Thursday, Nov. 22 – 8:30 a.m. (Wheaton)

NO Mass on Friday, Nov. 23 (Wheaton)

Saturday, Nov. 24 – 5:00 p.m. (Wheaton)

Sunday, November 25 – 8:30 a.m. (Chokio)

+ Peter Koch & Dan & Leona Curran

Sunday, Nov. 25 – 10:30 a.m. (Wheaton)

RECONCILIATION: Half an hour before Mass

Please remember in prayer: Lil Ritter, Harold Sivertson, Mary Marlow, Burnys Koch, Jeanne Hofland, Rita Schuster, DeLores Eul, Chelsie Leuthardt, and all who are ill. Please call when a name should be added or removed from the prayer list.

Thank You to all who cleaned the Hall this past week! You did a great job!

Thank You to Leo Berlinger, Tony Ritter, Greg Ritter, & Jeramee Van Eps for trimming the evergreen trees on the west side of the cemetery. Thanks for the hard work!

We welcome McKinley Jo Daly, child of Mitch & Bre Daly, born September 3, 2018, and Baptized November 18, 2018!

Faith Formation Classes will NOT meet next Sunday, November 25th.

A Faith Formation Fellowship Sign-up Sheet is in the back of Church for you to sign up to bring a snack or serve.

Confirmation Class will meet on Wednesday, November 28th.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Immaculate Conception: Friday, December 7th at 5:30 p.m.

Anointing of the Sick: At the December 9th Mass, Fr. John Paul will invite those wishing to receive the blessing to come forward.

Penance Service: Wednesday, December 12th at 6:30 p.m.

Faith Formation Christmas Celebration: Sunday, December 16th following Mass.

Christmas Eve: Monday, December 24th at 4:00 p.m.

Mary, Mother of God (New Year's Eve): Monday, December 31st at 5:00 p.m.

Christmas craft items are on display in the Hall. If you wish to purchase anything, checks can be written out to St. Mary's and given to Deb. Please write "Crafts" on memo line.

November Food Drive: The Youth Group will again be collecting food items or monetary donations during the month of November for the Food Shelf. Envelopes are in a basket in back of Church. They can be dropped in the collection. Also, a collection will be held at the Thanksgiving Mass on Nov. 21st.

The Bishop's Annual Appeal: Please consider a gift to the appeal. Your gifts are used exclusively to support our shared mission to be Christ's heart of mercy, voice of hope, and hands of justice in the Diocese of St. Cloud. To donate: visit www.stcdio.org/appeal, call Anna @ 320-258-7654, or mail: Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 1538, St. Cloud, MN 56302.

Annual Fall Festival & Grilled Pork Chop Dinner: Sunday, November 18th from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. at Kongsvinger Lutheran Church, Donnelly. All are welcome!

Gatherings for Widows and Widowers will meet for lunch at noon on Sunday, December 9th in the basement of Old #1 in Morris. Order lunch off the menu and enjoy an opportunity to visit. For questions, call Rose at Pedersen Funeral Home (589-3220).

Stewardship Report- November 11, 2018

Weekly budget expenses from 2018-2019

Budget: \$1,688.46. *Thank you for your sacrificial offering*

Adult:	\$1,096.00	Other:
Youth:	5.00	Catholic Charities:
Loose:	180.00	\$260.00
Flooring:	80.00	Food Shelf: \$40.00
TOTAL:	\$1,361.00	

